

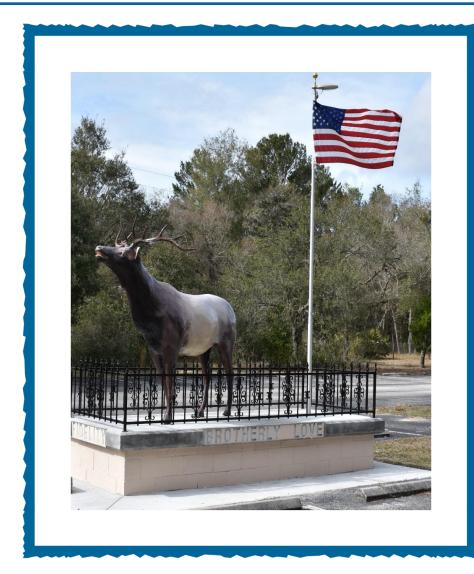
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MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

September, 2022



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CARR HUSSEY ~ EXALTED RULER

LODGE OFFICERS ~ **2022**—**2023**

EXALTED RULER CARR HUSSEY

LEADING KNIGHT SCOTT MACKEIL

LOYAL KNIGHT GARY ASHNESS

LECTURING KNIGHT MIKE HUGHSON

SECRETARY JOAN BRINK

TREASURER SHERRY MACKEIL

CHAPLAIN JOHN DEMAS

ESQUIRE BILL RUNDGREN

INNER GUARD JANE HUSSEY

TILER DIANE HEIN

FIVE YEAR TRUSTEE PHIL RAFFERTY

FOUR YEAR TRUSTEE RICH GRIFFITHS

THREE YEAR TRUSTEE MEL HAINES

TWO YEAR TRUSTEE ROBERT HEIN

ONE YEAR TRUSTEE NORA HUGHSON

Letter from the Exalted Ruler

Well, summer is all but over! I am presently out of town so I have to rely on my co-workers Scott, Phil, Sherry, Cindy, Dan and Rich.

With the introduction of our newest band – The Cruisers – and lowering our dinner prices, our numbers are coming up again. Thank you to "dedicated members" known as the STP.



Our beverage server-Susie- has been hospitalized twice with Covid. She is getting better each day and we wish her a speedy recovery. We are struggling to maintain good service. BUT, thanks to Mike and Scott, we are continuing on with great service.

Cindy and Rich continue to keep the kitchen running in good order. I am told that the food is great as usual. Big thank you. Dan, Sara and Carol and Theresa have really helped us big time on Tuesdays. Very much appreciated!

Please come to our next Friday night dinner. We are having our first Table of Honor for Veterans, So, please come by and support them and thank them for their service.

I am told that Nora has done a great job with Devon on getting our property situation finalized. Good job Nora.

Gary has been working at getting advertisement for the lodge in several publications. Well done Gary. We can't leave out Bob and Doranda. They are new members and have stepped up to help GREATLY...good example of ELKS.

Last but not least, a big thank you to Phil for taking over for the last couple of meetings and, all that he does to keep the lodge in good condition. Without having to be said, thank you to Alan for all of his help with budget and financials. And, to Trudy for the newsletter that we all enjoy each month. Great job guys! Also, Joan and Sherry continue to do a great job with their time and care to keep everything running smoothly.

I will return for the first meeting in September and look forward to seeing everyone.

W. Carr Hussey Exalted Ruler

Letter from the House Committee

Hello once again, hope everyone has had a great summer so far, it will be ending soon and we can get ready for the busy season ahead. Some of you are now returning from your summer trips, welcome back!! Some of you will be returning soon we hope, it will be great to see you once again!

We would like you to please keep our Bartender Susy, in your thoughts and prayers. She has been very sick with long term covid, in and out of the hospital. We hope she gets to feeling better and back with us soon! Our Leading Knight, Scott Mackeil and Lecturing Knight, Mike Hughson have been filling in as bartenders along with Holly. Sherry Mackeil and Nora Hughson have been helping also, keeping the Lodge clean etc. We want to give them a big thank you!!! What would we have done without you guys? Since we are short a bartender, we will still close on Monday's, Wednesday's and Saturday's for right now, we will try again later! We will be closed Labor Day weekend, September 3rd-5th, hope you can spend time with your family and friends.

We are still waiting on the arrival of our new sign. Hopefully it will be here soon, until then we will just have to continue to make do with what we have.

I would like to give a BIG "THANK YOU" to our volunteers who have stepped up to help in the kitchen. Dan and Sara Bendel, Carol Fylypzuk, Theresa Cannan and Bill Rundgren are our Tuesday Lunch crew! They do a fantastic job, so give them a big "Thank You" when you see them! Bob and Doranda Hinton, Nancy and Andy Andretta along with Bill Rundgren are a fantastic help on our Friday night Dinners, what would we do without you! And last, but not least, my husband Trustee, Rich Griffiths, who is always there by my side helping and Scott MacKeil, our Leading Knight who steps up when he can to help with the clean up! You guys are all my Angel crew, Thank you so, so much! We can still use more volunteers so don't be shy. If you like to cook, bake, decorate, cleanup, whatever the case may be, we would love you to join us. It would be nice if the people that work all the time could get a break every now and then.

We have a mostly full calendar for September so keep your calendar handy and make sure you get your reservations in early.

Sundays - Line Dance Lessons every Sunday.

Monday's - BOD Meeting and House Committee Meeting followed by the Lodge Meeting

Tuesday's - Karaoke 1-4 pm with Lunch served 12-2 pm

Thursday's - Fun Night at the Elks- Bowling, Shuffleboard Cornhole. Or if you and a group just want to play cards, Golden Elk Drawing at 7 pm-Friday's:

2nd - Angelo 6-9 - Dinner 5 pm (Fish, baked or fried or Lasagna)

9th - The Cruzers 6-9 Dinner 5 pm (Chicken or Pepper Steak)

16th - The New Relics - 6-9 pm Dinner 5 pm (Spaghetti and Meatballs)

23rd - Trivia is back - 6:30 pm Food available 5-6 pm (Taco Bar)

30th - Brian Phister Band-6-9 pm Dinner 5pm (PorkChops or Chicken Pot Pie) Hope you can join us. Without you it would not be possible.

Your House Committee: Cindy Griffiths, Nancy Andretta, Bonnie Gillis, Pat Avinger, Bill Rundgren, Pete Berna, Trudy Dorval, Jane Hussey, Diane Hein and Carr Hussey E.R.



LODGE SECRETARY HOURS:

Please call Joan Brink at the lodge 607-279-7691 Leave a detailed message and she will return your call. Or email jmb7@cornell.edu

HOURS—Monday & FRIDAYS 8:00-2:00 PM

Please call our Chaplain John Demas with any information if any one you know is ill, hospitalized or deceased. (352-428-4089)

Email: jdemas@gate.net

Friday Night Dinner Reservations are required by Thursday of that week.

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KARAOKE TUESDAY

WITH CLAY & SHEILA

2:00 ~ 5:00 PM Lunch 12:00 ~ 2:00



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Lunch Menu

Hamburger with Fries	\$7.25
Cheeseburger with Fries	\$7. 50
Chicken Tenders with Fries	\$7. 50
Philly Cheese Steak with Fries	\$7.50
Crispy Chicken Salad	\$7.50
Quesadilla	\$7.50
Shrimp Basket	\$7.50
Wings with Fries	\$7.50
Hot/Mild/BBQ/Garlic/Blackened	
Side Salad	\$2.50
Basket of Fries	\$2.50
Basket of Onion Rings	\$6.00
Soft Pretzel	\$1 ,50
Pizza	\$6.00

Pepperoni or Supreme